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This letter is in response to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") request received by the City of Chicago Office of the City Clerk on June 7, 2019 for:

For the years calendar years between 2012 and 2017, I am requesting a log of every search warrant executed in Chicago. Please consider the date of the request between between the start of the year January 1st to December 31st.

The Office of the City Clerk neither possesses nor maintains records responsive to your request.

Please note that each City department is a public body under Section 2 of FOIA, 5 ILCS 140/2(a). See *Duncan Publishing, Inc. v. City of Chicago*, 304 Ill. App. 3d 778, 784, 709 N.E.2d 1281, 1286 (1ST Dist. 1999) (Clearly, each of the individual departments are subsidiary bodies of the City and are public bodies as defined by the FOIA). A FOIA request must be directed to the department that maintains the records you are seeking.

Sincerely,

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